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Amendments to the Claims and Listing of Claims

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

Claim 9 (CURRENTLY AMENDED): A method of transmitting information, comprising:

~~1. A method for transmitting information from a sender to a receiver, comprising:~~

encoding information based on location data, the location data having corresponding location/coordinate pair data that associates the location data with the information in a remotely-accessible database of information; and

transmitting the encoded information to a remote device having a similar location/coordinate pair data and having access to the remotely-accessible database of information such that the remote device can decode the encoded information with reference to the similar location/coordinate pair data and the remotely-accessible database of information; and

where the remotely accessible database of information is pre-existing in the environment.

Claim 10 (CURRENTLY AMENDED): A method of transmitting information, comprising:

receiving information encoded as location data at a remote device having location/coordinate pair data that associates the location data with information in a remotely accessible database of information; ~~and~~

decoding the information by referring to locations in the remotely-accessible database of information, the locations being determined with reference to the received location data and the location/coordinate pair data; and

where the remotely accessible database of information is pre-existing in the environment.

Claim 11 (NEW): A method of encoding, transmitting, and decoding information comprising:

Identifying a content reservoir from accessible content reservoirs in the environment;

Utilizing an information transcription protocol to encode the information into location/coordinate paired information, which location/coordinate paired information corresponds to at least part of the content reservoir;

Transmitting the location/coordinate paired information to a remote device;

Receiving the location/coordinate paired information at the remote device;

Decoding the location/coordinate paired information into the information by identifying at the remote device the part and/or parts of the identified content reservoir which correspond to the location/coordinate paired information.

Amendments to the Claims and Listing of Claims – Continued

Claim 12 (NEW): The method according to Claim 11, wherein the location/coordinate paired information identifies the content reservoir as well as the location(s) within the content reservoir which correspond to the information being encoded.

Claim 13 (NEW): The method according to Claim 11, wherein the location/coordinate paired information identifies the content reservoir as well as the temporal and logical location(s) within the content reservoir which correspond to the information which is to be transmitted.

Claim 14 (NEW): The method according to Claim 11, wherein the content reservoir is accessible through the Internet.

Claim 15 (NEW): The method according to Claim 11, wherein the content reservoir is accessible through a radio, television, mobile, and/or cordless phone wireless transmission.

Claim 16 (NEW): The method according to Claim 11, wherein the content reservoir is selected to provide compression in addition to encoding of the information.

Claim 17 (NEW): The method according to Claim 11, wherein the content reservoir is selected to provide encryption in addition to encoding of the information.